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# MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 27,404 Week ago: 31,198 Year ago: 28,171 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

<u>Fdı</u>	: STEERS:	<u>Fdr. F</u>	<u> IEIFERS:</u>	<u>Hols.</u>	<u>STEERS</u>
360 lbs	126.52	366 lbs.	107.05	342 lbs.	70.61
463 lbs	116.68	460 lbs.	103.02	464 lbs.	76.96
553 lbs	109.75	546 lbs.	98.48	572 lbs.	70.36
641 lbs	105.64	641 lbs.	96.56	635 lbs.	68.40
759 lbs	97.89	742 lbs.	91.17	763 lbs.	65.86
856 lbs	95.40	839 lbs.	88.99	863 lbs.	69.23
925 lbs	s. 90.94			952 lbs.	62.00

## SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 4100 Week ago: 3891 Year ago: 3570 Cow and Bull Receipts: 650 Week Ago: 872 Year Ago: 686 Compared to last week, steers under 500 lbs mostly steady, 500-700 lb steers 2.00-4.00 lower, over 700 lb steers 3.00-4.00 higher. Heifers steady. Slaughter cows traded mostly steady.

ST	TEERS:	HEIFERS:			
Medium	and Large 1	Medium a	Medium and Large 1		
300-400 lbs.	125.00-135.00	300-400 lbs.	104.00-110.00		
400-500 lbs.	114.00-124.00	400-500 lbs.	98.00-105.50		
500-600 lbs.	104.00-110.00	500-600 lbs.	96.00-106.00		
600-700 lbs.	97.00-107.00	600-700 lbs.	91.00-95.00		
700-800 lbs. 97.00-103.00		700-800 lbs.	92.00		
800-900 lbs. Scarce		800-900 lbs.	Scarce		
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	900-1000 lbs	Scarce		
11.	-1-4-:	CLAUCHTED (	COWE.		
П	olsteins	SLAUGHTER (			
L	arge 3	Breaking and Boning (70-85%			
		lean) 43.00-47.5	50; high dressing		
Pkg 476 lbs.	71.00	46.00-53.00, Le	an (85-90%)		
600-700 lbs.	67.50-72.50		w dressing 32.50		
T + 0.62 11	(0.05				

69.85 -38.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1065-2320 lbs 57.50-62.00, high dressing 62.50-65.00, low dressing 52.50-55.00

Lot 863 lbs.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few scattered singles 3-7 yrs 1050-1275 lbs with babies to 200 lb calves 1000.00-1150.00 per pair, pkg 10 hd blks 4-7 yrs with babies to 200 lb calves 1175.00.

**REPLACEMENT COWS:** 

Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 1020-1250 lbs 3rd stage 850.00-975.00; 3-7 yrs 1050-1380 lbs 2nd stage 695.00-825.00; shortsolid to broken mouth 875-1130 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 555.00-675.00.

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# SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 7828 Week ago: 11291 Year ago: 7505 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1498 Week ago: 1762 Year ago: 1230 Compared to last week, steer and heifer calves 3.00-10.00 lower, except late sales of heifer calves steady to 2.00 lower. Yearlings 1.00-3.00 lower, Holsteins steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows 2.00-4.00 lower with instances 6.00 lower. Bulls 1.00-2.00 lower.

	<u>STEERS:</u> Medium and Large 1		<u>FERS</u> : nd Large 1
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	120.00-125.00 107.50-119.00 99.00-113.00 96.00-107.00 92.00-102.50 91.00-92.75 84.00-89.25	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	97.50-102.00 95.00-106.00 92.00-103.50 90.00-101.00 89.00-94.25 Scarce Scarce
HOLS7 Large F 300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.		SLAUGHTER C and Boning (70-8 45.00, high dress few outstanding 3 (85-90%) 30.00- ing 20.00-31.00 SLAUGHTER B Grade 1-2 1200- 64.00, high dress low dressing 50.0	35% lean) 39.00- ing 43.00-49.00, 50.00-53.50, Lean 36.50, low dress- ULLS: Yield 2215 lbs 56.00- ing 62.00-69.00,
Medium and Lar short-solid mouth stage 1065-1380 -875.00 per head and bwf 900.00-1	ge 1-2 2 yrs to n 2nd and 3rd lbs most 650.00 , several blks 1050.00	COW & CALF P. and Large 1-2 2 y mouth 900-1325 l 385 lb calves mos per pair, several b 1175.00-1275.00	rs to short-solid be cows with 145- st 900.00-1100.00 better quality

# NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2101 Week ago: 1465 Year ago: 3265 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers sold 2.00-3.00 lower. Slaughter cows 2.00-4.00 lower, slaughter bulls 4.00-5.00 lower.

FEEDER HEIFERS:

FEEDER STEERS:

high dressing 60.50-67.00

LEDERS	I LLIKO.	I DEDEK HEH EKO.		
Medium and	l Large 1	Medium and Large 1		
200 400 11-	127 50 140 00	200 400 11-2	100 00 112 00	
300-400 lbs.	137.50-140.00	300-400 lbs.	109.00-112.00	
400-500 lbs.	119.00-137.00	400-500 lbs.	96.75-115.00	
500-600 lbs.	108.00-117.50	500-600 lbs.	94.50-102.25	
600-700 lbs.	101.50-113.00	600-700 lbs.	94.00-102.00	
700-800 lbs.	Scarce	700-800 lbs.	87.00-87.25	
800-900 lbs.	96.10	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	
SLAUGHTER BU	ILLS: Yield	SLAUGHTER C	OWS: Breaking	
Grade 1-2 1550-2	300 lbs 53.50-	and Boning (70-8	35% lean) 43.00-	
60.00, low dressin	g 45.00-51.00,	48.50, high dress	ing 45.00-50.00,	

BRED COWS: Medium and COW/CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce Large 1 Scarce

lean 35.00-41.50

## WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic) Receipts: 4168 Week Ago: 3704 Year Ago: 3991 Compared to last week, feeders sold 1.00-5.00 lower. Slaughter cows

2.00-4.00 lower.

<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1 and 1-2		
9 lbs. 98.00-106.00 9 lbs. 92.00-105.00 9 lbs. 90.00-103.50 10 lbs. 87.50-99.50 10 lbs. 84.75-87.60 10 lbs. Scarce		
HTER COWS: Breaking ing (75-85% lean) 40.50-igh dressing 45.00-51.50, i-90%) 36.00-44.00, low 32.00-36.75.		
HTER BULLS: Yield 2 1045-1910 lbs 52.00- gh dressing 66.00, low 43.00-56.25		

# EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon) Receipts: 2996 Week ago: 4764 Year ago: 3629

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows 3.00-5.00 lower.

<u>FEEDER S</u> Medium and L		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1& 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	120.00-124.50 105.00-122.50 105.00-120.50 95.00-109.75 90.00-106.50 Scarce Scarce	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-700 lbs.	105.00-112.50 94.00-107.50 93.00-103.75 90.00-103.75 Scarce Scarce Scarce	
SLAUGHTER STE ERS: few Choice				
COW & CALF PA and Large 1-2 Scare		SLAUGHTER 1 Grade 1-2 1400 65.00, few high 70.00	-2100 lbs 55.00-	
NODELLE				

## NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)
Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2408 Week ago: 2240 Year ago: 1105
Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 87 Week ago: 55 Year ago: 41
Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers 1.00-3.00 lower.
Slaughter cows 2.00-4.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 1.00-2.00 lower.

	<u>STEERS:</u> nd Large 1-2	FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.		400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs.	Scarce 99.50-109.00 95.50-106.25 96.00-99.50 Scarce Scarce	
SLAUGHTER S 3 1150-1350 lbs 8	ΓEERS: Choice 2-	SLAUGHTER C and Boning (75-8 50.00; low dressi	35% lean) 44.00-	
SLAUGHTER H	EIFERS: Choice 2	SLAUGHTER B	ULLS: Yield	

-3 1050-1250 lbs 79.75-80.75

Grade 1-2 1250-2150 lbs 56.00-65.50

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

## SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 504 Week ago: 1636 Year ago: 890 Compared to last week steers under 400 lbs and heifers under 500 lbs sold steady to 1.00 higher, heavier weights 5.00-8.00 lower. Slaughter

cows 1.00 lower, bulls 2.00 lower.

FEEDER	STEERS:	FEEDER HEIFERS:		
Medium ar	nd Large 1-2	Medium and Large 1-2		
300-400 lbs.	102.00-113.00	300-400 lbs.	92.00-104.00	
400-500 lbs.	95.50-107.00	400-500 lbs.	90.00-106.00	
500-600 lbs.	95.50-100.00	500-600 lbs.	80.25-91.50	
600-700 lbs.	Scarce	600-700 lbs.	78.25-83.25	
700-800 lbs.	80.00-84.75	Pkg 765 lbs.	77.00	
Pkg 830 lbs.	83.25	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	
REPLACEMENT Medium and Lar 830-1275 lbs 2nd 605.00-710.00	ge 1-2 few 3-7 yrs	and boning (75-8	COWS: Breaking 85% lean) 43.00-sing 49.00-50.00;	
COW & CALF I and Large 1-2 Se		SLAUGHTER E Grade 1-2 few 56.25-58.25, hig low dressing 53	1390-2200 lbs h dressing 62.50,	

# SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

Receipts: 3641 Week ago: 2440 Year ago: 3231

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers uneven, from 3.00 lower to 3.00 higher, with some heifers near 500 lbs 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows 2.00-4.00 lower.

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300-400 lbs.	121.00-127.00	300-400 lbs.	103.00-113.00	
400-500 lbs.	112.00-123.00	400-500 lbs.	95.00-112.00	
500-600 lbs.	105.50-118.50	500-600 lbs.	93.00-107.75	
600-700 lbs.	100.00-114.00	600-700 lbs.	93.00-99.25	
700-800 lbs.	97.10-106.50	700-800 lbs.	86.50-90.75	
800-900 lbs.	91.00-97.35	800-900 lbs.	88.50-93.00	
REPLACEMENT CO and Large 1-2 3-6 yr. 2nd-3rd stage 825.00- head	s 1125-1250 lbs	SLAUGHTER ing and Boning 39.00-47.00, hi 45.00-50.00, Lo 34.00-43.00	gh dressing	
COW & CALF PAIR and Large 1-2 2 yrs 9 with 100-225 lb caves 1325.00 per pair	50-1050 lbs	SLAUGHTER Grade 1-2 130 54.00-59.25, hi 62.50		

# MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts: 200 Week ago: 800 Year ago: 1000 Compared to last week, trade slow to inactive. No confirmed live sales and dressed sales not well tested, few sales on a grid basis 1.00-3.00 lower

**STEERS AND HEIFERS:** DRESSED STEERS: Choice 2-4 No sales No Sales.

DRESSED HEIFERS: No Sales. GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 133.00-134 00

# INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 4046 Week ago: 4011 Year ago: 4959 Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts steady to 1.00 to 2.00 lower sows 4.00 to 15.00 lower.

SOWS: **BARROWS AND GILTS:** 

Base carcass meat price 49.00-300-500 lbs 20.00-28.00 51.00, weekly top Tuesday 52.00 Over 500 lbs 29.00-32.00

#### MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 5942 (6-12-09)

Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 1.50 lower, feeder pigs no comparison available.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights

83% formulated

5942 head 10 lbs 14.00-35.13 weighted average 10 lbs 30.53

Feeder pigs 40-50 lbs base weights 0% formulated No sales reported

## WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	430.30	312.50	425.00	84.50
St. Louis	438.70	300.00	428.50	76.00

# Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO 6-11-09 Receipts: 294 Last Week: 378 Last Year: 337

Sheep: Slaughter lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 102-135 lbs 108.00-118.00; 85-100 lbs 102.00-112.00; 65-85 lbs 90.00-97.00. Hair lambs: two pkgs 76-82 lbs 81.00-82.50. Feeder Lambs: Hair Lambs: Medium 1-2 50-75 lbs 71.00-81.00. Slaughter ewes: Hair ewes: Few pkgs Utility 1-2 90-92 lbs 13.00-17.00. Slaughter bucks: Absent. Goats: Slaughter kids: Selection 1 pkg 76 lbs 92.00. Selection 2 pkg 60 lbs 82.00. Selection 3 few 60 lbs 72.00-76.00. Selection 2-3 two pkgs 39-42 lbs 36.00. Nannies: Selection 3 100-115 lbs 54.00-62.00, 90-100 lbs 44.00-48.00, few 75-80 lbs 32.00-34.00. Nannies/kid units: few 120.00-165.00 per nanny. Billies: Selection 3 pkg 118 lbs 86.00. Replacement/Feeder Kids: Selection 2-3 two pkgs 22-32 lbs 22.00-29.00, pkg thin 16.00. (Sheep prices per cwt, Goat prices per head.)

# Norwood Producers Auction Yards Special Dairy Heifer Sale 6-11-2009

Receipts: 1220 Last month: 1544 Last year: 1030 Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1210.00-1325.00. Crossbreds 1130.00-1200.00, Approved 1150.00-1285.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1175.00; Medium 735.00-935.00, Crossbreds 800.00-1050.00, Common 650.00-710.00, Crossbreds 450.00-800.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Supreme 1260.00-1280.00, Approved 1025.00-1260.00, Crossbreds 1010.00-1110.00; Medium 775.00-1025.00, Crossbreds 800.00 -975.00; Common 500.00-880.00, Crossbreds 560.00-750.00. Heifers bred one to three months: Scarce. Open heifers: Approved 200-300 lbs 390.00-600.00, Jerseys 400.00-675.00; 300-400 lbs 520.00-685.00, Jerseys 450.00 -470.00; 400-500 lbs 600.00-740.00, Jerseys 675.00-720.00; 500-600 lbs 675.00-820.00, Jerseys 575.00-675.00; 600-700 lbs 735.00-810.00, Crossbreds 715.00-735.00; 700-800 lbs 835.00-960.00, Crossbreds 775.00-825.00. Replacement cows: Fresh and open milking cows: Supreme ind. 1375.00, few Approved 1150.00. Springer cows: Supreme ind. 1240.00. Approved 1025.00-1135.00; Bred Cows: Scarce. Baby calves: Holstein heifers 320.00-350.00. Holstein bulls: 60.00-100.00. Jersey heifers: few 195.00-210.00. Jersey bulls: 30.00-55.00, weaned group of 7 hd 110.00. Crossbred heifers 130.00-250.00. Crossbred bulls 35.00-55.00

# Diamond — White's Sheep and Goat Auction 06/04/09

Receipts: 1667 Last month: 1263 Last year: 1926 Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 1-2 Wooled/Shorn 40-50 lbs 100.00-118.00; 50-60 lbs 110.00-112.00; 60-70 lbs 108.00-114.00. Hair lambs: 40-50 lbs 85.00-110.00; 50-60 lbs 87.50-115.50; 60-70 lbs 90.00-111.00. Feeder/Stocker lambs: Wooled 30-40 lbs 112.50-115.00. Slaughter ewes: Wooled 1-3 128-175 lbs 23.00-43.00. Hair ewes: 88-155 lbs 16.00-41.00. Bucks: Wooled 165-230 lbs 31.00-32.50. Replacement classes: Hair Ewes: 85-175 lbs 31.00-60.00. Goats: Slaughter classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-50 lbs 125.00-140.00; 50-60 lbs 133.00-155.00; 60-70 lbs 132.00-142.50; 70-80 lbs 123.00-127.50. Does/Nannies: Selection 2 55-145 lbs 29.00-46.00. Billies: Selection 2 65-265 lbs 63.00-76.50. Replacement Classes: Does/Nannies: Selection 1 95-200 lbs 42.50-75.00; Selection 2 85-135 lbs 40.00-67.50. Billies: Selection 1-2 Reg. Boer 115.00-285.00 per head. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Bottle kids 8.00-30.00 per head.: Selection 1-2 30-40 lbs 115.00-127.50 cwt.

#### WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans unchanged to .20 higher, Wheat .36 to .39 lower, Corn .18 to .20 higher, KC Wheat .38 to .42 lower, SB Meal 14.70 to 26.70 higher.

## Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans Jul Aug Sep Nov Jan	1232 1/2	1243 1/2	1246	1267	1245 1/2
	1166 1/2	1177 1/4	1175 1/4	1185 1/2	1171 1/4
	1096	1110	1112 1/2	1124 3/4	1108 1/2
	1051 3/4	1072 1/2	1079 1/2	1089 3/4	1076 1/2
	1058 1/2	1079 1/4	1086	1096	1083
Wheat Jul Sep Dec Mar May	598	613 3/4	596	594 3/4	584 3/4
	626	642	624 1/2	623 1/4	613 1/4
	651 1/2	667 1/4	650 1/2	649 3/4	640 1/4
	668 1/4	684	667 1/2	666 1/4	657 3/4
	679 3/4	694 1/2	677 1/4	677	668 1/2
Corn Jul Sep Dec Mar May	435 444 3/4 458 469 1/4 476 3/4	444 453 1/4 466 1/4 477 1/2 484 3/4	435 3/4 444 3/4 458 469 476	441 450 463 1/4 474 1/4 481 3/4	425 1/2 434 1/2 447 3/4 459 1/2 467
KC Wheat Jul Sep Dec Mar May	652 3/4	665 1/2	648	644 1/2	637
	663 1/2	676	658 1/2	654 3/4	647 1/4
	679 3/4	692 1/2	674 1/2	671	663 1/2
	693 1/2	706 3/4	689 1/4	686	678 1/2
	701	711 3/4	693 1/4	690	682 1/4
SB Meal Jul Aug Sep Oct Dec	401.70	407.80	413 40	428.00	422.70
	372.20	376.60	379.20	390.00	385.70
	347.70	353.30	356.00	366.00	362.80
	325.20	334.30	338.40	348.00	345.50
	315.20	325.80	330.40	339.00	336.70

# WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle nearby .32 to .45 higher, others .10 to .60 lower, Lean Hogs .08 to 4.95 lower, Pork Bellies unchanged to 4.25 lower, Feeder Cattle .65 to 115 higher.

Daily Futures Closes					
	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle Jun Aug Oct Dec Feb	79.42 80.62 86.30 88.60 90.27	80.17 81.72 87.02 89.07 90.75	79.75 80.82 86.40 88.40 90.55	80.10 81.45 86.95 88.90 90.80	80.47 81.60 87.10 88.82 90.27
Lean Hogs Jun Jul Aug Oct Dec	57.57 59.50 61.52 60.67 63.50	57.35 58.75 60.52 59.77 62.50	57.07 58.35 59.27 57.62 61.10	57.00 60.00 60.40 58.22 61.50	57.02 59.80 60.07 56.82 59.32
Prk Bel Jul Aug Feb Mar May	61.90 62.05 94.45 95.45 93.00	58.90 59.05 93.50 94.00 93.00	55.90 56.10 91.85 91.80 93.00	55.55 56.15 91.70 91.65 93.00	58.45 59.15 91.65 91.65 93.00
Fdr Cat Aug Sep Oct Nov Jan	95.85 96.20 96.77 96.60 96.60	96.32 96.95 97.50 97.55 96.80	96.17 96.35 96.92 97.62 96.50	96.37 96.60 97.20 97.87 96.50	97.57 97.57 98.62 98.32 98.00
Milk Jun Jul Aug	9.92 10.60 11.57	9.91 10.74 11.71	9.89 10.59 11.56	9.88 10.51 11.36	9.91 10.45 11.30

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## MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .05 lower to .20 higher Wheat .24 to 48 lower Corn .09 to .21 lower Grain Sorghum .27 to .32 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	12.43-12.48 12.37-12.42 12.35-12.40 12.46-12.51 12.31-12.36	4.68-4.73 4.81-4.86 4.63-4.68 4.60-4.65 4.52-4.57	4.20-4.25 4.29-4.34 4.21-4.24 4.26-4.29 4.11-4.14	6.70 6.86 6.71 6.80 6.54
St. Louis Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	12.54-12.59 12.62-12.65 12.67-12.73 12.88-12.94 12.67-12.73	5.20 5.39 5.27 5.24 5.11	4.41-4.45 4.50-4.55 4.42-4.48 4.54-4.55 4.39-4.40	6.92 7.07 6.92 7.01 6.83
Central Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	11.87-12.08 12.05-12.12 12.00-12.14 12.11-12.21 12.06	4.43-4.68 4.59-4.84 4.41-4.66 4.40-4.65 4.30-4.55	4.12-4.13 4.21-4.22 4.08-4.14 4.13-4.23 4.03-4.39	n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a
S.E. MO Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	12.46-12.50 12.58-12.59 12.62-12.65 12.74-12.84 12.61	5.03-5.23 5.19-5.31 5.01-5.26 5.00-5.27 4.90-5.08	4.24-4.35 4.33-4.43 4.25-4.40 4.30-4.46 4.14-4.28	6.57-7.28 6.67-7.26 6.62-7.30 6.71-7.37 6.42-6.98

Missouri Fescue Seed Report

As fescue season approaches so does the speculation about how this years crop will turn out. Buyers that have been out scouting generally feel the crop currently available for harvest is near average, however many question how much of that available crop will actually be harvested. Pre-season prices are over 50% lower than last years' prices resulting in talk of some combines remaining parked. Lower prices are a result of significant carry over at most elevators due in part to low demand for new landscaping seed a result of slow construction and the economy crisis. Swathing is expected to begin within the next week with the possibly of some seed beginning to show up by mid to late next week however moisture is expected to be high. (Dry: Moisture 12-14% - Wet: Moisture greater than 14%) (Prices per lb.) Southwest, Northeast, Central, South Central, Northwest, and Southeast: .18 wet, .20 dry. Missouri Crop Progress and Condition June 07, 09 Topsoil moisture is 4 percent short, 76 percent adequate, and 20 percent surplus. The southwest district had a 22 point increase in the rated short topsoil moisture. **Spring tillage** is 91 percent complete, 9 days behind the normal of 94 percent. There were 4.2 **days suitable for fieldwork** with the southwest district reporting nearly 7 days suitable. Field Crops Report **Corn** planting is 95 percent complete, 7 days behind the normal pace of 97 percent complete. Corn emergence is at 83 percent, 10 days behind normal. Corn condition is rated 1 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 36 percent fair, 46 percent good, and 11 percent excellent, similar to last week. Soybean planting is 59 percent complete, 10 days behind the normal pace of 75 percent. Emergence is 36 percent, 11 days behind a normal of 59 percent. Sorghum planting is at 61 percent, an 18 point increase from last week but 11 days behind the normal of 79 percent. Wheat heading is at 97 percent, 7 days behind the normal of 99 percent. Sixty-three percent of the wheat crop has turned color, 4 days behind the normal of 76 percent. The wheat harvest has begun in the southeast district. Condition is rated 2 percent very poor, 11 percent poor, 39 percent fair, 40 percent good, and 8 percent excellent. The first cutting of alfalfa progressed 18 points and is 66 percent complete, 4 days behind the normal of 75 percent. Other hay is 38 percent cut, a 14 point increase, but still 3 days behind the normal of 43 percent. Pasture & Livestock Pasture condition is rated 2 percent poor, 25 percent fair, 55 percent good, and 18 percent excellent. Seventy-three percent in good to excellent condition is better than last year's 68 percent and 49 percent normal. **Rainfall** averaged 0.88 inches statewide with a range 0.30 inches in the southwest district to 1.64 inches in the northwest district. Holt county reported 5.82 inches of rain last week.